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**From:** Krall, Scott M [SKrall@ppg.com]  
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**Subject:** RE: <EXT>Response Letter

Josh

EPA's July 14 letter addresses and provides comments and rationale on the key outstanding technical issues in the FS, so the response cannot be separated from the FS. PPG and Woodard & Curran are working to address EPA's comments, including EPA's letter from Tuesday, and will submit the revised FS and response on July 21.

Thanks  
Scott

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Hi Scott,

We understand your concern and we appreciate everyone's effort in implementing the aggressive RI/FS schedule and we also want to continue working cooperatively on this project. Our understanding is that EPA's comments and edits to the FS were provided on 7/10 and that would start the 7 day clock for PPG to review. We believe a FS should be provided on 7/17 that address those comments/edits sent on 7/10. We agree the letter sent on 7/14 provides additional clarifications and PPG can submit a response to the issues brought up in that letter at a later time. We can discuss further during our weekly call tomorrow.

Thanks,

Josh

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Josh

Thank you for providing EPA's July 14 response letter. When EPA provided the first part of its comments on the FS on July 10, it gave PPG and Woodard & Curran 7 days to respond (July 17). As Ken and I mentioned on Monday, EPA's response letter is key to the revisions and would impact the timing of the response and revised FS, which EPA said it understands. As the letter was received on July 14, Woodard and PPG should have 7 days from that date to revise the FS and respond, which would be Tuesday, July 21. PPG, Woodard & Curran and EPA have worked cooperatively on scheduling issues since implementing the "very aggressive" expedited RI/FS schedule in January 2020, and we believe a 7 day response time is consistent and appropriate.

Regards  
Scott

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Hi Scott and Ken,

Attached is EPA's response to your letter dated 6-30-2020 regarding the lead in groundwater and groundwater alternative 5. Let me know if you have any questions. Sorry again for the delay.

Thanks,

Josh

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